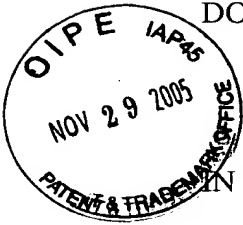


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SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action dated September 6, 2005, please reconsider the above-identified application in light of the **Remarks/Arguments** which begin on page 2 of this paper.